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Talking Heads Webinar with Chloe Combi

Did you know the most popular social media platform for younger teens is NOT TikTok (and there's a worrying reason for that)? Do you know who the next Andrew Tate is? Do you know how much money social media companies make from your child's scrolling every year?

If you'd like to learn more, please sign up for our Talking Heads webinar on Tuesday 20th June, 18:00. Generation Z expert, government advisor, author, podcaster and auditor of our Respect Project will discuss the newest and most confusing trends in 'teen world'. Chloe will share cutting-edge research from her new book *How to Save the World*, and will answer questions about teenagers' relationship with social media.

[Register Here](#)

Gaudy Information

We look forward to seeing you at Gaudy on Saturday 1st July, a time to come together to mark the end of another academic year, celebrate success, and say a special farewell to

our 2023 leavers. This year, Tutors' Parties for all years will begin at 11.30, followed by picnics. There are also some events specifically for 6.2 boys and their families outlined in the 6.2 section below.

Programme

09:15 Leavers' Breakfast – please sign up in the 6.2 section below

10:30 Leavers' Service

11:30 Tutors' Parties (including prize giving & speeches)

13:00 Picnics (we encourage families to gather around Bigside)

13.15 Fast and Furious Cricket semi finals/final and Beagles Parade

15:00 Leavers' farewells to dons (1st XI Pavilion) with Leavers' tea & champagne toast (Coffee Shop if wet)

Wet Weather Plan & Parking

In the event of wet weather, areas of the school will be reserved for Socials so parents can picnic indoors. Tutors will guide you on where to go. Please park considerately and avoid blocking any routes that stop the flow of traffic. Please do not park on the pitches.

Parent Information

All Parents

New Innovation Scholarship

We are proud to announce the launch of our ***Innovation Scholarship***. This new award will celebrate and reward boys with big ideas and a determination to realise them. The growth of robotics, computer science and entrepreneurship (in addition to the long-standing popularity of Design Engineering at Radley) coincides with the growing number of outstanding boys coming through our admissions process with a passion and aptitude for coding, game design, engineering, video and technology. In this brave new world, employers will increasingly be seeking employees who are creative, strategic, work collaboratively and can use an interdisciplinary skill set to solve difficult problems. The first Innovation Scholarships will be awarded from September 2024.

Team Photos

Gillman and Soame team photographs are available to buy throughout the year. Parents should visit their [website](#) and login using the code GC3828 and the password 501996. If you have any queries, please contact Gillman & Soame directly via [email](#) or on 01869 328200.

Art and Design End of Year Show

Our End of Year Show takes place on Friday 23rd June, 18:00 - 19:30 in the Sewell Centre Gallery. All are welcome to join us, but we kindly ask guests not to take photographs as the exhibition includes examination work. Invitation [here](#).

Cricket Builds Hope Fundraiser

The Cricket Club is raising money in aid of [Cricket Builds Hope](#), a charity that uses cricket as a catalyst for change in Rwanda. They run social impact programmes in partnership with charitable and corporate organisations, using the Gahanga Cricket Stadium as a base. Boys will link sponsorship to their performances in the matches against Eton this weekend. A letter from Mr Dalrymple with further information is available [here](#). To donate, please click [here](#).

Shells

- Congratulations to the boys who took part in the Shell Play. They gave two fantastic performances of *Stronghold*, a piece they devised themselves. [\[info\]](#)

- The German exchange is open to Removes and Fifts learning GCSE German next academic year. Families who were invited to sign up are reminded that the deadline is this week so that we can coordinate numbers with our partner school. Register [here](#). [\[action\]](#)

Mrs Rebecca Beattie

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Removes

- The German exchange is open to Removes and Fifts learning GCSE German next academic year. Families who were invited to sign up are reminded that the deadline is this week so that we can coordinate numbers with our partner school. Register [here](#). [\[action\]](#)

- On Friday 16th of June the Removes have a PSHE talk on Relationships and Sexual Health. The talk is being given by our Lead Nurse, Alex Gilley who has been delivering outstanding PSHE talks to Radleians since 2018. Her talk will cover consent, laws relating to sex, intimate relationships, sexting, pornography, STIs, contraception and pregnancy. If you have any questions or would like further details about this RSE (Relationships and Sex Education) talk, please contact [Suzie-Louise Naylor](#). **[info]**

Mr Charlie McKegney

Head of Removes

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Fifths

- US Universities: Malcolm Brown gave a webinar presentation before Leave-Away. The slides are available [here](#). If your son is interested in studying in the US, even if it is just a possibility at this stage, please read this [letter](#) and complete this [form](#). We will send further information about our support and the application process in due course. **[action]**

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6.1

6.2

- Gaudy has a number of moments of importance for the Leavers: the breakfast, the Leavers' Service (which includes the presentation of the Old Radleian tie and an address from the Senior Prefect), and Prize Giving in Social. The day traditionally ends with an informal farewell to dons, which this year will be near the Old Pavilion on Bigside from 15:00. As part of this, you are invited (at 15:00 or very soon after) to a Champagne Toast as we send them on their way...

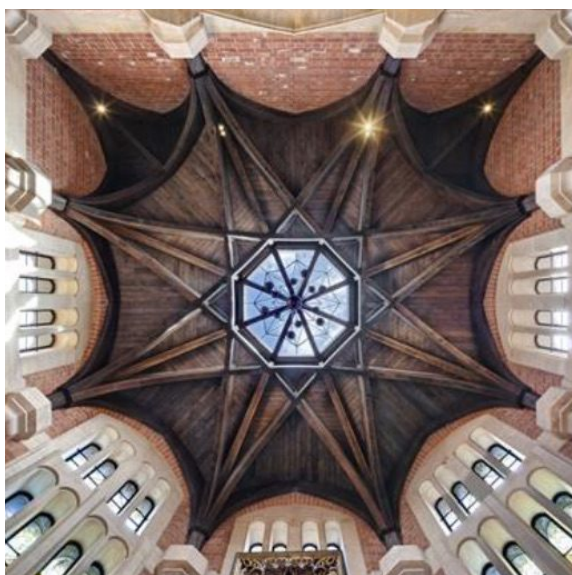
If you plan to attend the Leavers' Breakfast, it is important that you [register here](#).

News



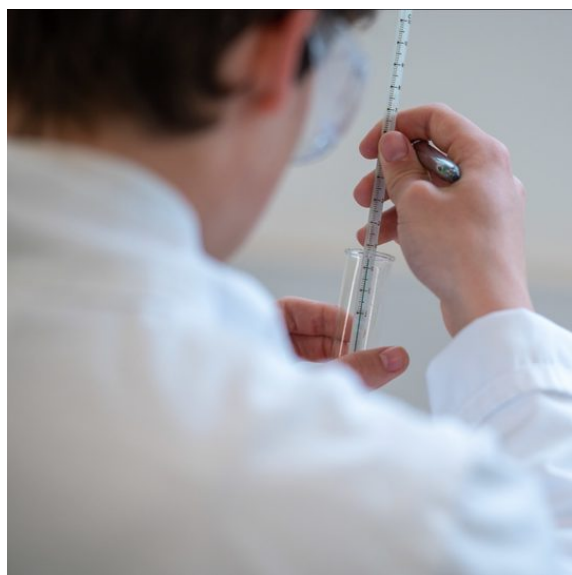
RCBC at NSR

Congratulations to Radley College Boat Club on an excellent weekend of results at the National Schools Regatta. Radley secured four gold medals (2nd VIII, 3rd VIII, J15.1 and J15.2) and one silver (J16.2). Photos from the Saturday races, taken by Andrew Walmsley, are available on Flickr [here](#).



Kelvin at UKMT

Congratulations to Kelvin Lam (R, C Social) who has been invited to the UKMT Oxford Training Camp in August following his outstanding results in the qualifying rounds. The UKMT training is a stepping stone to selection for the UK's international team. To achieve this as a Remove is truly outstanding.



RIBA Award

The Chapel extension has been named as the best new building in the South of England by RIBA. Judges described the project as “a masterclass in modern architectural design.” They said: “The chapel extension is a testament to the power of good design and the role that architecture can play in creating inspiring and functional spaces”. Congratulations to the team involved.



Scientific Thinking

139 Removes took part in the National Scientific Thinking Challenge, organised by the University of Warwick, towards the end of last term. 21% of boys received a Gold award, 17% Silver and 31% Bronze. Nine boys recorded scores above 90%, with George Vaan (R, D) securing 97% and Kelvin Lam (R, C) 94%. Parents eager to test themselves can find the questions and answers [here](#).



Parent Drinks in London

Our annual parents' drinks parties started this week with more than 150 Remove and Fifth parents joining the Radleian Society at the East India Club in St James' Square. We look forward to seeing [Shell parents](#) on Thursday 15th June and [6.1](#) and [6.2](#) parents on Thursday 22nd June.

TeenTech Awards

Congratulations to Harkirat (V, L), Wut (V, L) and Mikolaj (V, G) who have been invited to the final of the TeenTech Awards in London. The boys will present their Plastic to Palm Oil project to an esteemed panel of judges in the hope of winning a national award. The boys started the project as part of the Young Scholars' Programme, but have entered this competition completely independently.



Democracy Essay Prize

Congratulations to Rodion Radetskyi (R, L) who won the Junior Scholars' Democratic Freedoms Essay competition. He argued that non-violent protests are crucial for a democracy and, while the arrest of six protesters during the coronation helped to ensure the absence of disruptions, it simultaneously undermined a desire to challenge the status quo through non-violent means.



Shell Workshops

On Wednesday, we welcomed four youth workers from our partner, Oxfordshire Youth to lead workshops with our Shells. They explored leadership, mentoring and conversation techniques in preparation for future partnership activities across the Radley community. We look forward to more collaboration with Oxfordshire Youth in the new academic year.

Upcoming Events

Inter-Social Clay Pigeon Shooting Competition

Tuesday 20th June, 13:30

Great Tew

Talking Heads - Chloe Combi: The Challenges of Social Media

Tuesday 20th June, 18:00

Online, sign up [here](#)

Art and Design End of Year Show

Friday 23rd June, 18:00

Sewell Centre Gallery - parents welcome

Musicathon

Sunday 25th June, all day

College Campus - tickets [here](#)

Gaudy

Saturday 1st July

Further details above

Fixtures & Travel Information

We are always delighted to see parents supporting fixtures. Due to the dynamic nature of fixtures and venues, please check **SOCS** and speak to your son before making travel arrangements. Please keep dogs on a lead and pick up after them.

Saturday 10th June

Rowing: Reading Regatta

Rowing: Marlow Town Regatta

Sailing: Thames Valley Team Racing Championships (Datchet)

Tennis: OXIST Tournament

Cricket vs Eton

Sunday 11th June

Cricket vs Cheltenham

Rowing: Radley Mariners Challenge (RCBC)

Tuesday 13th June

Tennis vs Eton

Croquet vs Eton

Golf vs Marlborough

Thursday 15th June

Cricket vs St Bartholomew's School

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National Schools Regatta



Campus Drone Shots



Battle of the Bands



Polo vs Rugby



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